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LOCAL NEWS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 17.

District Court Proceedings.—David Tobbs, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship yesterday afternoon.

To-day the case of James J. Weaver vs. David Weaver came up on appeal and was dismissed for the want of prosecution.

G. F. Culmer vs. Wm. C. Rydall et al. Jury was waived and the trial is in progress.

Rock Salt.—Brother J. H. Van Natta brought to our office yesterday a sample of rock salt from the quarry of Geo. R. Jones near the Warm Springs, just north of this city. This substance is found there in abundance, mixed with limestone, and is being shipped to the smelters to be used in fluxing. Mountains of salt are found in various places, in the southern part of the Territory, in some cases entirely free from extraneous substances, in others mixed with sand stone. In the latter case the salt is obtained for use by boiling the crude material. In the sample at present before us, the salt is very white and apparently very pure, except that it has fragments of limestone mixed through it, the whole forming a pretty solid sort of a concrete. In view of its proximity to the Salt Lake, where salt for every other purpose can be obtained so easily, its main value is as a fluxing material, the limestone being useful in that connection as well as the salt.

Jurors for the May Term.—Last Saturday the following names were drawn from the jury box at Provo, to serve as grand jurors at the May term of the First District Court, which will be held in Ogden:

17 James W. Willis, 196 Thos. W. Brewster,
68 J. W. Chambers, 198 Antone Peterson,
76 David P. Burt, 200 Lewis B. Boothe,
120 Eph. H. Nye, 183 C. C. Goodwin,
148 P. P. Bingham, 146 N. H. Banker,
199 John Wilson, 121 C. J. Coray,
197 Jacob Lewis, 133 Henry Woolner,
142 Heber C. Farrier, 91 John H. Davis,
810 Austin W. Child, 114 Willd. E. Cragan.

The following named persons, were drawn to serve as petit jurors at the May term of court, to be held in Ogden:

121 Milan Packard, 57 James Locks,
137 H. K. Thompkins, 168 John Landman,
75 Stephen Moyle, 25 Wm. Walwick,
29 James Chipman, 35 W. W. Matthews,
119 Isadore Marx, 171 Jesse Vanderhoof,
123 J. W. Abbott, 35 John S. Brooks.

The grand jurors were requested to be present on May 4th, 1885, and the petit jurors on Monday, May 11th, 1885.

A Useful Book.—One of the most complete and best arranged books of its kind that we have ever seen is "Mrs. Owen's Cook Book and Useful Household Hints," the author of which is Mrs. Francis E. Owens. It is published by the Owens Publishing Company, of Chicago, and sold by D. Greenig, 34 E. Third South St., Salt Lake City, who is agent for the Territory.

This is a standard work, which has run through numerous editions, but this, the latest revised edition, contains a great many new recipes, as also some expensive colored plates, besides other engravings, illustrating garnishes, etc.

The recipes seem to embrace every variety of cookery, and the directions are so full and simple that no one need fail to understand them. As to their reliability, perhaps no higher recommendation could be given them in this Territory, where Daniel Greenig's reputation as a cook and caterer is so well established, than to say that he endorses them and considers the book the very best he has ever seen.

The household hints also embrace a wide variety of general instruction and recipes, one would imagine, for every preparation required in the household. Any family might soon

save the price of the book by studying and acting upon these hints. The farmers' department will also be found especially useful. Considerable space is devoted to diseases among horses, cattle and swine, and full directions given for the treatment of the same. Finally, a complete index enables the reader to find anything upon which the book treats in an instant.

[Special to the News.]

First District Court Adjourned.

PROVO, Utah, March 17, 1885.

Editor Deseret News:

Judge Emerson adjourned the present term of this court, yesterday, till April sixth, as his resignation was accepted, taking effect yesterday at midnight. Judge Emerson and Mr. Varian return home by to-night's narrow gauge train.

[Special to the DESERET NEWS.]

THOMAS HOLLAND SUICIDES.

HE DROWNS HIMSELF IN BAKER'S SPRING.

PLEASANT GROVE, Utah,
March 17, 1885.

Editor Deseret News:

Thomas Holland, aged about fifty years, was drowned yesterday at Baker's Spring, near Utah Lake, about two miles from here. An inquest was held over his body yesterday afternoon. The verdict rendered by the jury was suicide, committed while in a fit of temporary insanity. Deceased had his leg broken some months ago, and was just getting about on crutches. He seemed despondent, and had said he would rather be in his grave than on crutches, but no one expected that he contemplated so rash an act. He leaves a wife and six children, who are almost frantic with grief at the untimely death of the husband and father.

TERRITORIAL ITEMS.

CULLED FROM LATEST EXCHANGES.

—The Eastern Montana Stock Association meets at Miles City, April 3rd.

—A party of St. Louis bicyclers will visit the National Park this coming summer.

—A Montana Nimrod has killed nine mountain lions on Tongue river, Custer Co., during the past winter.

—The manufacture of furniture is a branch of home industry about to be commenced in Paris, Idaho.

—Ah Len, a Chinaman sentenced to ten years in the Idaho Penitentiary for killing another Chinaman, hung himself in his cell on Sunday last.

—Frank Runyan, of Boise, Idaho, was, on Tuesday last, kicked by a vicious horse, and an ugly gash inflicted on the right side of his head.

—Ogden is troubled with burglars. Friday evening two business houses of that town were entered, but a pair of new shoes were the only articles stolen.

—Though the snowfall this winter in the Upper Yellowstone Valley reached an unprecedented depth, the loss of cattle in that region will not exceed three per cent.

—We learn from P. T. Farnsworth, Esq., that Murdock & Farnsworth sold their entire cattle interest recently to Ryan Beam Cattle Co., for the sum of \$123,750. This is understood to be the largest cattle sale ever made in Utah.

Southern Utontan.
—The citizens of Evanston, Wyoming, hold a mass meeting this evening for the purpose of organizing a company to develop the oil resources of that vicinity. Considerable excitement prevails in that Territory over the oil development.

—Miss Maggie Stuart, of Falk's Store, Idaho, committed suicide on Thursday, by hanging herself to a tree with a handkerchief. The deceased bore a highly respectable character, and no cause can be assigned for the rash act. She was about twenty-one years of age.

—Mahonri Collings, of Paris, while preparing to brand a wild horse recently, attempted to tie the animal up with a chain, the hook of which caught in a ring upon his little finger, tearing the flesh off and lacerating it in a shocking manner, but not breaking any bones.

—The officials of the Oregon Short Line have signified their willingness to build round houses, etc., at Montpelier, and make that burg the terminus of the division providing the residents will donate the land necessary for the erection of the buildings. The parties owning the desired land, however, refuse to part with it for less than \$200 per acre.

—On Monday the 9th inst. a two-year-old daughter of O. P. Drake, who lives near Eagle Rock, Idaho, got hold of some old shotgun shells, among which was one with a brass cap or end

which attaches to the shell by screwing on, and getting it into her mouth, attempted to swallow it, but it became fast in her throat. On Wednesday Dr. Bean was called and attempted to remove it, breaking his instrument in so doing, but moved it about four inches. The child died on Thursday.

—A terrible shooting affair occurred in Carbon, Wyoming, a few days ago at No. 5 mine. The particulars are not fully known but it seems that a young man named John Lockett, about seventeen years of age, shot his sister, who was but a year younger. The ball passed through the unfortunate girl's neck and made a terrible wound, from the result of which she died about an hour or so after the shooting. It is supposed that the shot was an accidental one and the boy, crazed at his ghastly work and insane with fear, fled to the hills before he could be prevented. The whole working force of the mine is out hunting for him but it is hard to say whether they will succeed in finding him or not. The greatest excitement prevails and the entire community is plunged in gloom.

MR. JOHN NICHOLSON ARRESTED.

HE WAIVES EXAMINATION AND IS HELD TO ANSWER.

At half past eight o'clock this morning, as Mr. John Nicholson, associate editor of this journal, was wending his way from his residence, in the Eighteenth Ward, to the DESERET NEWS office to begin the labors of the day, he was met by U. S. Deputy Marshal Sprague, who arrested him on a charge of unlawful cohabitation.

The accused accompanied the officer to the U. S. Marshal's office, where the greater part of an hour was spent in waiting for the arrival of Marshal Ireland. After that gentleman reached his office Mr. Nicholson was taken before Commissioner McKay, who issued the warrant, by Deputy Vandercook.

District Attorney Dickson entered the room at the same instant.

Following is a copy of the complaint:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Territory of Utah,
County of Salt Lake, ss.

To William McKay, Esq., Commissioner of the Supreme Court of said Territory:

E. A. Ireland, of Salt Lake City, in the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, on behalf of the United States of America, on oath complains, that John Nicholson, of Salt Lake City, in the County of Salt Lake and Territory of Utah, on the first day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, at Salt Lake City in the County of Salt Lake and Territory aforesaid, did live and cohabit and ever since the date last aforesaid, at the County aforesaid, has continually lived and cohabited with more than one woman, to wit: with one Sussanna Keith and one Myra Cutler, against the peace and dignity of the United States of America, and contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, wherefore complainant prays that a warrant may issue for the arrest of said John Nicholson and that he be dealt with according to law.

E. A. IRELAND,

Complainant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

this 16th day of March, A. D. 1885.

Wm. McKay,

Commissioner Supreme Court, Territory of Utah.

The Commissioner, addressing the accused, said, "Do you wish to procure counsel?"

Mr. Nicholson—"No, sir, I prefer to represent myself."

Commissioner—"What do you say to the complaint?"

Mr. Nicholson—"Nothing. I simply remain silent in relation to it. I presume that to be my privilege."

Commissioner—"Yes. Do you wish an examination?"

Mr. Nicholson—"No. I waive preliminary examination before you as a committing magistrate."

Mr. Dickson (to the Commissioner)—"I presume the case can be arranged that way."

After thus delivering himself the District Attorney strode out of the room.

Mr. Nicholson was held in \$1,500 bonds to answer to the grand jury. Mr. Francis Copé and Mr. John Sharp, Jr., are the sureties. After the bond was signed Mr. Nicholson was released from custody.

The warrant for the arrest having been issued in advance of the procuring of evidence, a swarm of deputies were soon dodging about and around the neighborhood of the residence of the accused. They presented an interesting spectacle, being deployed in skirmishing order in the direction of the point of attack and occasionally in double file, taking nearly every shape except the solid square of military tactics. That evolution was somewhat difficult to them, there being no square men in the outfit.

The report of Mr. Nicholson's arrest spread rapidly, and he was, after leav-

ing the Commissioner's office, besieged on every side by friends, who tendered expressions of good feeling and offers to furnish security, which had, however, already been given. These kindly manifestations were not confined to his co-religionists, and are duly appreciated by the gentleman to whom they were directed.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 18.

Commissioned.—The Governor today issued commissions to the following officers, recently elected: American Fork City, Utah County—Oscar F. Hunter, mayor; James E. Steele and Geo. Cunningham, aldermen. Wallsburch, Wasatch County—Elijah Davis, constable. Payson, Utah County—James Finlayson, mayor; Jesse S. Taylor, Henry W. Barnette and John Joseph McLellan, aldermen.

Excommunicated.—The High Council of this the Salt Lake Stake of Zion, this day confirmed the action of the Bishop's Court of the Third Ward, and cut John P. Meakin off from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, for apostasy.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of the High Council, this 17th day of March, A. D. 1885.

[SEAL.] JAMES D. STIRLING,
Clerk pro tem. of High Council.

A Mistake.—A week ago last Friday a lady in from the country by mistake placed a sack of clothing, boots, etc., in the wrong wagon, and has not been able to recover them since. The wagon in which she came to town was drawn by a span of white horses, as was also the one in which she placed her parcel; hence the mistake. She is a poor woman, and the contents of the sack are quite a loss to her. If the person who so unconsciously drove home with the woman's parcel will please leave it at this office the owner will get it.

Funeral Services.—The funeral services of Sister Fanny Coombs, wife of Isaiah M. Coombs, of Payson, were held yesterday in Payson Hall, which was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. Comforting and instructive remarks were made by Bishop Charles Evans, of Ponderosa, Elder S. S. Jones, of Provo, Bishops S. A. Woolley, of this city, J. S. Booth, of Provo, and Geo. Holliday, of Santaquin; also Counselor Lant, of Payson, and David Johns, of Provo. Forty-two vehicles were in the cortege which followed her remains to the cemetery.

Certificate Issued.—Hon. A. L. Thomas yesterday issued a certificate of incorporation to the Utah Valley Iron Mining and Manufacturing Company, of Provo City, Utah. The company have a capital stock of \$100,000, and the incorporators are: Alonzo A. Noon, Annie J. Noon, Thos. Beesley, Samuel R. Thurman, Amos D. Holdaway, David Evans, A. O. Smoot, Jr., Walter R. Pike, Wm. H. Brown, Wilson H. Dusenberry, John C. Graham, John E. Booth, Geo. M. Brown and John W. Turner, of Provo, and Jonathan S. Page, of Payson.

District Court Proceedings.—The case of George F. Culmer vs. Wm. C. Rydall was submitted last evening, and this morning judgment was rendered in favor of defendant.

In the case of Edward P. Ferry vs. Sam Lee, the court finds for plaintiff rent at \$12 per month from August 2d, 1880. The defendant was allowed 20 days' stay to file a motion for a new trial.

The case of Mason vs. Englestrom was dismissed.

Frank W. Jennings vs. L. R. Ket-cham. A jury was waived and the trial is in progress.

Flowing Well.—Brother Matthew Barnes called to-day and informed us that Thomas Bishop, of the Nineteenth Ward, who has been sinking a well on his premises opposite and a few rods south of the Ward meeting house, yesterday morning struck a stream of good fresh water, at a depth of seventy feet from the surface. A pipe one and one-half inches in diameter is used, and a continuous stream of water flows out at the rate of twenty-one gallons per minute. The pipe was made so as to reach to about twenty feet above the ground, and the water was thrown with considerable force quite a distance above the top.

A Large Importation of Stock.—Quite a ripple of interest was created among our stock men to-day by the arrival of one of the largest shipments of stock that has been received here for several years. They were purchased from R. L. Greer & Brothers, of Lafayette County, Mo., and were imported by H. J. Faust, of this city. They embrace the following animals: Twenty Galloway heifers and thirty-five Galloway bulls, all under one year of age; one full blooded Galloway bull, three years old, one two year old Jersey bull, one full blooded Norman stallion, one chestnut sorrel, half Coach and half Norman, stallion; one young dapple gray Norman stallion; one hundred and five shoats of the Berkshire and Poland

China breeds, and three bronze turkeys. All arrived in excellent condition, and will be a valuable addition to the stock of our Territory.

TERRITORIAL ITEMS.

CULLED FROM LATEST EXCHANGES.

—A terrible accident occurred near Fort Steele, Wyoming, last Sunday night, which resulted in the death of a soldier, whose name is not known. He was standing on the platform of one of the cars of a train about to enter the station, when, it is supposed, he lost his balance by a sudden jerk, and fell under the wheels. No one witnessed the accident, but his mangled body was found shortly after the train had passed.

—Two German boys named respectively Fawkes and Heildt, were fooling with a shot gun a few days since in Paris, Idaho, when the latter saw his father approaching and told his companion to snap the gun at him, as there was no cap on it and it could not go off. Fawkes stood not on the order of doing so, but did it, and the result was that the elder Heildt received a load of shot in his neck. Fortunately the charge scattered and failed to strike a vital part, and the wounded man is likely to recover.

—A shooting affray occurred near Ashley's Fork, on the 11th inst., which will probably result in the death of James Hepburn, who was shot in the head by a W. E. Davis, from the Uintah agency. The latter had received information that Hepburn had been stealing his cattle, and this is supposed to have been the cause of the difficulty, although no one was near enough at the time of the shooting to hear what words, if any, passed between them. Davis immediately gave himself up to the officers, but the hearing of his case is postponed until a statement can be obtained from the wounded man, who is in a very critical condition.

—Saturday afternoon a man named Henry Cleary had a narrow escape from death in a mine at Meaderville, Montana. He was working on the 200 foot level taking down lagging, when a cave occurred which buried him to the depth of four feet in the ore matter which fell. His head barely escaped being crushed by the falling mass. His cries for assistance failed to reach the ears of his fellow-workmen, and he was obliged to extricate himself as best he could, and in doing so the clothing was torn from his lower limbs so tightly he was embedded in the mass of earth. He was fearfully bruised about the head and shoulders as well as his legs. He was also badly frightened, as he expected every moment to be buried by more matter from overhead.

Counterfeiting a Valuable Article.

The publisher of the *Madison County Record* writes from Huntsville, Ark., as to the effects of Brown's Iron Bitters on his wife. Mr. Daugherty says, "My wife has been using the Bitters for some months; the effect in her case is remarkable." He also writes that owing to counterfeits and imitations, it was difficult to get the genuine article. That difficulty has now been remedied; imitators have been exposed and put to flight. There, as elsewhere, Brown's Iron Bitters can be had of all the respectable druggists at a dollar a bottle.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitudes of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 196 Wall Street, New York.